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We manufacture all grades of white pine lumber made into siding, flooring, mouldings, etc., and offer the same for sale, wholesale or retail cars at flat Portage.

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Parties intending building cannot do better than see our stock, and on lowest prices. We can furnish close estimates and give valuable suggestions that will more than repay them for their trouble.

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Brandon.

Jan. 1892.

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PORTAGE LA PR.

MAN.

THAT CYCLONE.

The storm of last Sunday was, in the memory of the settlers, decidedly the most terrible that ever struck this part of the country, and so far as it covered the ground the most damaging in its effect. A few minutes before it burst forth in its fury huge dark clouds were seen to collect to the north west, then the roar of the wind followed and next the destruction. In its severity the cyclone struck the country at Ragby School about 8 miles north of the city, and in a belt of about 80 rods levelled everything before it until it reached a line nearly north of Douglas and there it widened and diminished in force, taking the form of a fierce wind and hail storm. In some places it destroyed crops and all sorts of property for a considerable distance. The first house struck was Ragby school which it shifted several feet. It then struck Mr. Dunford's. Mr. D. and some members of the family took to the cellar and were preserved harmless. Mrs. Dunford and a child refused to go there and they were badly hurt but under care at the hospital are doing nicely. Alex. McInerney lost his residence and out buildings, A.C. McPhail suffered to the extent of his granary and crop. A small tenement in the course belonging to Mr. Richards went into splinters with the rest. Angus Campbell lost his house, stable, threshing outfit, fences, crops and all. His wife and family took refuge in an underground millhouse and escaped with their lives. Thus Nevins was perhaps the greatest sufferer of the lot. He lost his house and all outbuildings, 6 horses and every other animal on his premises even to the cat and dog. They were all away at church, which in all probability, was the means of saving the lives of the family. His loss will reach between \$2,000 and \$4,000.

Financially perhaps John Brooks & Son are the heaviest losers. Their fine residence, barn and outbuildings, some of which latter contained a lot of grain are around the place in ruin. Their machinery and crops went with the rest entailing a total loss of \$5,000, which is very severe on one farmer. James B. Lee's house and buildings were torn to fragments and scattered in every direction. James Black's fences were levelled to the ground. Mr. T.E. Greenwood lost 225 bushels of crop, and so on of many more to the east of him till the storm spent itself on the flats easterly. The severity of the storm may be understood from the fact it broke the iron of threshing engines and twisted them to pieces as a man would a bundle of switches. It dug up huge stones from the ground and threw them large distances and left all vegetation in its track including shrubs and trees as if over run by a forest fire. All told the loss may reach possibly \$50,000, and is the greater because it left so many left to destitute. Of course it was fortunate in one sense in that its track was confined to a limited area, the fewer number were afflicted by its ravages, but it crippled for a long time those who resided in its course of destruction.

Farmers Beware

Of French or Sink weed which taints milk, butters, and even beef, when eaten in quantities by cattle. It poisons the land so grain cannot grow where it gets established. The seeds are so numerous and of such a nature they will remain in the ground for years and when plowed up will grow very quickly and will remain green all winter. Cases are known where parties have left their places rather than undertake to exterminate it, recognizing the importance of preventing the spread of this noxious weed. The Brandon Farmers' Institute have notice on appropriation and appointed a committee to take such steps as they may deem necessary, who are placing samples of the weed in frames and hanging them in prominent places where parties who do not know the weed can see it and destroy it wherever it may be found and all persons are asked to render all possible assistance to prevent the spread of this noxious weed.

L. W. VANTASSEL.

I. O. O. F. Installation.

At a regular meeting of Brandon City Lodge No. 6, I.O.O.F., held upon the 8th inst. the N. G. & V. E. installed the brethren to the Grand and Vice Grand positions. District Deputy Grand Master Bro. Stockton assisted by Grand Secretary Bro. Kennedy, Grand Marshal Bro. Marshall Ross, were introduced and the following officers were installed as officers of Brandon City Lodge No. 6, I.O.O.F., for the ensuing term.

N. G. T.A. Kelly, V. G. J.S. Townsend, R.S. E. Lambert, P. S. E. G. Daniels, Treas. J.A. Russell, Conductor D.J. Anderson, L.S.G. W. Flenn, O.S. G. R. Johnston, R.S. N.G. R.L. Kennedy, L.S.N.G. R. Oate, R.S.V.G. J. D. Ross, L.S.V. P. Lloyd, R.S. S. Geo. Bonnett, L.S.S. Alex. Neilly, Chap. in A. W. Adams, Organist Geo. Aske.

The Plebiscite.

Electors of Manitoba! Read the Five Following Paragraphs.

By recent enactment of the Manitoba Legislature, opportunity will be given to the voters of the Province, on Saturday July 23rd, to give expression to their convictions on the great question of Provincial Prohibition.

At the polls, place, on that day, two ballot papers will be given you. The one you may mark your choice for the

member whom you desire to represent your district in the Legislature; and on the other you may give your vote for or against Provincial Prohibition.

What is involved in this matter may be easily seen. If there be an overwhelming vote in favor of Prohibition, Parliament—in consistency with its enactment providing for the Plebiscite—must give attention to the wishes of the people. If the vote be against prohibition the cause of temperance will have sustained a severe blow.

This is a straight issue—Prohibition or Licensed Liquor Selling. It gives every man a fair opportunity of choice. The question of the details of the subsequent legislative enactment should prohibition carry is not involved here. That is a separate matter, to be dealt with in due time.

Are you in favor of prohibiting the liquor traffic, or do you desire its continuance? If you are for temperance, pure homes, clear heads and hopeful lives, vote so on the 23rd. If you are for the liquor traffic, blood money, spoiled men, sorrowing women and injured children, vote so on the 23rd.

Crops in the United Kingdom.

One more week of grand summer weather has strengthened the agricultural position immensely. The heat of the sun has been of a semi-tropical character, and there have been the usual electrical storms locally, over the whole of the United Kingdom. The wheats have come into ear very fast in the eastern and southern districts, and on well-farmed wheat lands proper it will probably be correct to say that they never grew better promise; on lighter soil they show less of plant (mainly in respect of the comparative lightness of the soil, due apparently, more to the depredations of the wireworm than to the climatic winter-killing of late sown seeds on similar soils). The outlook, at present is for an exceptionally good crop of wheat on well-farmed soils; but the value of native wheat at the present time, and under existing circumstances, supports the suggestion made in this column a short time since, to the effect that growers here might at least conserve their own interests by growing wheat only to the extent of their requirements; that is to say, enough to supply bread to themselves and to all those engaged on their farms. In the opinion of the writer this will ultimately be the practical limit of wheat growing in this country. The Lenten grain is needing more rain, and it is quite impossible to assess the harvest value of a good and thick plant, which has been more or less punished by drought. The mowder grasses are being cut in some of the earlier districts, but the rye grass is coming into flower; this is undoubtedly a rise thing to do, inasmuch as the first cut will be of good quality of secured favorably, while the aftermath will have the best of the chances. The same policy is being pursued with the "seeds" and other leguminous fodder crops; undoubtedly the best chance of the year is for early autumn. This feature has been emphasized here, because of its influence on the value of purchased feeding stuffs. The root crops are having a splendid start, but in the south-eastern districts a lot of the heavier clay lands are in a hopelessly unworkable condition (until more rain comes) for late sowing. —Agricultural Gazette, London.

PROVINCIAL.

The first experiment here of the coal from the Souris fields was made Friday at the establishment of Messrs. Gurney on Rupert street. The tests so far have been eminently satisfactory. The coal burns without much flame, but gives out a very powerful heat; it is distinctly a clean coal, and there is very little dust about it; it burns a white ash, and comparative absence of soot promises to be one of its recommendations. —Free Press.

MORTGAGE SALE.

of valuable Freehold Property to be sold by Public Auction in pursuance of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage to Samuel H. Bower and others, which mortgage has been assigned to the Vendors, and which mortgage and assignment will be produced at the sale, on Wednesday the 19th day of August, at 12 o'clock noon by W. H. Hooper, Auctioneer, at his auction rooms, on cor. 12th St. and Rosser Avenue, in the City of Brandon, the following valuable real estate.

Situate in the County of Brandon, in the Province of Manitoba, and being the east half of section 4, Township 8, Range 20, west of the principal meridian. The above property consists of 32.4 acres of land, more or less, situated about 21 miles south of Brandon and about 11 from Souris. The land is a good sandy loam. About 150 acres are under cultivation. There is good pasture and good hay land on the premises. There is also erected on the land a good frame house 11 stories high, a good frame granary, hog and sod stables which are partially dug out of a hill. There is good water on the place, and the district is well settled up.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid, also subject to a mortgage to the London & Ontario Investment Company, Limited, securing \$1800.00 and interest. This mortgage is now overdue and can be paid off by the purchaser. The Vendors reserve to themselves the right of one bidding. Terms of payment very liberal. Deposit of 10% purchase money must be paid at the time of sale, when easy terms

GREAT INDUCEMENTS JULY BARGAINS.

For the balance of this month we will offer great special bargains to clear. For cash only, we will offer seasonable goods at such prices as will effect a speedy sale.

When we Advertise "Specials" it Means Cheap Goods at the LEADING HOUSE.

We have about 100 webs of beautiful Prints worth from 12 1/2c to 15c per yd. which we will clear at 10c per yd. Two Hundred (200) webs of prints worth from 15c to 20c per yd. your choice for 12 1/2c. All beautiful new goods and choice dress patterns.

We have about 1450 yds. of lovely double fold 1yd. wide American Challies which we will offer at 10c per yd. These goods are worth from 18 to 20c per yard. Fast colors, durable and nice goods.

Five hundred and fifty (550) yards of Dress Alpaca in many shades, grand goods for summer wear, these are good value at 50c per yd. to be sold for the balance of this season at 30c per yd. just about half their value. This is an opportunity to get double value for your money.

I. R. STROME.

Great Summer Sale.

Our season's trade has been good and we are anxious to clear the balance of spring and summer goods.

TWENTY PER CENT. DISCOUNT ON PARASOLS. Also for the balance of this month all Straw Hats from 75c \$1.00 for 65c, all from 50c to 75c for 40c, all from 35c to 50c for 30c, all from 30c and under for 15c.

20 Per Cent. Discount on Men's, Youth and Boys' Clothing. Tremendous range of Regatta Shirts at 20 per cent. discount.

For July's purchases call at the Leading House for bargains, for this month only, for cash. Stock unsurpassed in the province.

I. R. STROME & CO.

P.S.—Fifteen per cent. discount on all embroidered flourishes.

For the balance will be arranged. For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to
MACDONALD, TUPPER, PHIPPS & TUPPER,
Vendors' Solicitors,
Winnipeg.
Dated Winnipeg, July 5th, A.D. 1892.

FASHION AND FANCY.

STRIPES are being worn at Sing Sing. PUGILISTS are seen in large ring effects.

SOFTER tones are demanded in hand organs.

RAILWAY engines are noticed with demitrain.

Four pads this year incline to the darker shades.

New garden hose appear adorned with a slight spray.

LARGE figures will be noticeable in bathing suits this summer.

CAR horses seen on our streets recently were very much slashed in the back.

The fashionable pug dog will appear with short pants during the coming hot season.

Worm comes from Texas that the last thing there in horse thieves is beset up with a twisted rope effect.—Dry Goods Bulletin.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

THE greatest fishway in the world is in the course of construction on the Potomac at the Great falls. When it is completed it will carry fish over a vertical fall of seventy-two feet.

A RAT attacked a pigeon on the window sill of the upper story of the Boston federal building. The rat bit the pigeon and the latter dropped its enemy off the sill and it fell to the pavement. Both are dead.

BEEES are said to desert a hive on the occasion of a death in the family unless they are informed of it by rapping on the hive while announcing the death. In some places it is said the hives in such a case should be draped in mourning.

These machines are in first class condition and are equal to the best on the market, similar machines giving the best satisfaction wherever used.

This is a splendid opportunity for anyone the kind of buying a machine for the year. Terms of sale. The purchasing money can be paid in equal payments on January 1st. With the last two payments to bear 5 per cent interest from date of sale, lien notes to be given and the security to be approved of by the Vendors.

MCDUGALL & FRASER.

Auctioneers.

Victoria July 11th, '92.

CONFIRMED.

The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers the California Fig Syrup Company.

FURNITURE

We will give a discount of 20 per cent. on any piece of Furniture in our Ware-Rooms for 30 days.

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Ordered work and repairing done. Prices Right.

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CHEMISTS

DUGGISTS.

Mail Orders promptly attended to.

BRANDON

MAN.

FELL TO DEATH.

A BALLOON EXPLODES 500 FEET ABOVE GROUND.

In the Presence of 10,000 People Two Persons are Dashed to Death and Others Seriously Injured.

A frightful accident occurred one day last week at the Crystal Palace, London. A piece being given at the palace lately is called "The Tragic Episode," but that day the audience witnessed a real and terrible tragedy. Capt. Dale, the well-known aeronaut, was to give a balloon exhibition in the presence of thousands of Sunday school holiday seekers.

The captain invited any who desired to accompany him on his voyage in the air. Several volunteered and the balloon started on its upward flight, the great multitude, largely composed of children, watching it with wondering gaze. Suddenly the balloon burst, and a cry of terror arose from the audience as the balloon collapsed with a noise as of the discharge of a huge cannon. The aeronaut fell to the ground dead, and three of the passengers were seriously injured.

For a few moments there was a panic among the sight-seers. The relatives of those who were injured rushed forward and it was some time before the extent of the accident could be understood. Capt. Dale was an experienced aeronaut and had given many successful exhibitions before. Investigation shows that the materials of the balloon were rotten from disuse.

About 10,000 persons, mostly women and children, had gathered to watch the ascension. Dale took aboard, among others, the amateur aeronauts and his son, aged 14 years. When released the balloon shot up about 500 feet. Then a reddish cloud burst from the top of the balloon, a heavy report was heard, the car swayed, a man could be seen reaching among the ropes, and the next instant the balloon collapsed. The car dropped like lead, with the ropes and torn material flapping the air above it.

About one hundred feet from the ground Capt. Dale, who was clinging to a rope, was thrown loose by a sudden lurch and he fell dead and mutilated. The car struck on the stone wall around an artificial lake, rebounded against an iron railing, and then fell to the ground in fragments. Capt. Dale's son was hanging to the side of the car when it struck the stone. He was thrown 50 feet.

The other occupants of the car held on to the last. All of them were in the car when it struck and were strewn with the wreckage after the collision with the iron railing, but it is possible that they will recover. Young Dale had hardly a whole bone in his body. One spectator was caught in the shoulder by the groping anchor. He was thrown to the ground and the anchor tore through his face. Several other spectators were injured by the anchor, but not severely.

BAPTIST CONVENTION.

Officers and Directors Elected.

The Manitoba Baptist Convention which was held in Winnipeg during the early part of the week was attended by delegates from all parts of the province, and most successful meetings are reported. Those attending from Brandon were: Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Humphries, Messrs. Winch, Hurley, J.H. Campbell, Chapin, Prof. McKee, Mr. Yule, Mrs. J.A. Christie, Mrs. Foster, Misses Mary Wilson, Ella Christie and McKinnon.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mr. John Giles, Portage la Prairie. First Vice President—Mr. Robt. Wilson, Brandon. Second Vice President, J.F. McIntyre, Treasurer—H.E. Sharpe. Corresponding secretary—superintendent—H.G. Melick. Recording secretary—A.B. Stovel. Statistical secretary—Robt. Darrach. Auditors—F.J. Allen and W.R. Bartlett.

DIRECTORS. Stonewall, J. Gunn; Rapid City, Matt. Pilon; Pilot Mound, A. McDougall; Moosemin, S. McCurdy; Carman, A.R. Ruth; Long Creek, P. Cameron; Boissevain, Reekie; Neepawa, J. Robertson; Manitou, J. Chalmers; Shoal Lake, J. Morgan; Emerson, J.W. Whitman; Oak Lake, J. McLaren; Melita, R. M. Graham; Hartney, Mathews and F. Chapin; Brandon, Prof. McKee and J.M. Robinson; Portage la Prairie, H.E. Turner and J.W. Forrier; Winnipeg, G.F. Stephens and J.H. Fairchild; Morden, H. McIntyre; Strathclair, D. McKean.

At the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Association the following were elected officers for the coming term: President—Mrs. J.C. McDonald, Portage la Prairie. First Vice President—Mrs. H.J. Melick, Winnipeg. Second Vice President—Mrs. Robt. Darrach, Brandon. Recording secretary—Miss J. Stovel, Winnipeg. Treasurer—Mrs. C.W. Clark. Directors—Messrs. J. Giles, Stephens, S. Raymer, Westbrook, W. Robinson, P. Cameron, Dalgleish, G. Smith, McEwen, Poole, McCrae, Bellamy, Chalmers, De Mille, Reekie, Baxter, Ross, Hargrave, Stovel, Christie, McKee, Merritt, Humphries, Chapin, and Misses Kennedy, Parsons and Dale.

MRS. COLUMBUS.

Something That Seems to Have Been Overlooked in World's Fair Exhibitions. "With all the preparations now going on for the big event in '93, everybody, the women in particular, seem to be forgetting something, and thereby the loyalty of woman to woman and the chivalry of man to woman promises to suffer exceedingly."

The speaker was a charming old school gentleman, who was stopping in Chicago recently. "We have been surprised," he continued, "with talk regarding Christopher Columbus, and schemes to have his picture, an illustrated history of him, relics of his birthplace and of his wanderings, brought here and put on exhibition. This homage-paying to Christopher is proceeding on all hands with excess, and it is quite right and proper; but why don't we hear something about Mrs. Columbus? Probably but few people nowadays ever know there was such a woman as Mrs. Christopher Columbus. It occurs to me as particularly singular that in this day, especially when women are being accorded so much of prominence—and largely by reason of their own enterprise, too—that upon this occasion the memory of Mrs. Christopher Columbus is permitted to be so entirely 'out of it' instead of 'in it'."

I have been reading up on the subject lately and find that Mrs. Columbus was probably more deserving of a share of the credit of Mr. Columbus' success than have been most of the unknown wives of well-known men.

Columbus was married in 1479, or thereabouts, to a Miss Palestrello, of Lisbon, whose father had distinguished himself as a navigator. A part of Miss Palestrello's marriage dowry was a great collection of valuable charts, journals, and important memoranda. From childhood she had displayed wonderful enthusiasm on the subject, participating to a marked degree of the speculative and adventurous ideas and schemes in the line of geographical discovery for which Lisbon was then the headquarters. She possessed a fine education and was widely known as a brilliant, brilliant woman, who was constantly urging her husband on in the path which finally brought him to the untimely goal with which we are so familiar. While a girl Miss Palestrello made a number of hazardous voyages with her father in unfamiliar waters, and later made many geographical drawings, several of which were used with great profit by Columbus when he had won his for his wife and set out upon his more important wanderings on the great deep.

There probably is no picture of this brave, talented woman extant, but certainly it would seem a gracious and most fitting thing that her memory receive some tribute upon the forthcoming occasion.

A Grand Panorama.

Major Meigs, the government engineer in charge of river improvements at Keokuk, Ia., is preparing for exhibition at the world's fair working models of the government dry docks and engine house, the various boats used in making river improvements and sections of dams, showing the manner of their construction. It is announced that in the government exhibit will appear a photographic panorama of the Mississippi river from St. Paul to the mouth of the Illinois.

"German Syrup"

G. Gloger, Druggist, Watertown, Wis. This is the opinion of a man who keeps a drug store, sells all medicines, comes in direct contact with the patients and their families, and knows better than anyone else how remedies sell, and what true merit they have. He hears of all the failures and successes, and can therefore judge: "I know of no medicine for Coughs, Sore Throat, or Hoarseness that had done such effective work in my family as Boschee's German Syrup. Last winter a lady called at my store, who was suffering from a very severe cold. She could hardly talk, and I told her about German Syrup and that a few doses would give relief; but she had no confidence in patent medicines. I told her to take a bottle, and if the results were not satisfactory I would make no charge for it. A few days after she called and paid for it, saying that she would never be without it in future as a few doses had given her relief."

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A PRIZE PICTURE PUZZLE.



The above picture contains four faces, the man and his three daughters. Anyone can find the man's face, but it is not so easy to determine the faces of the three young ladies.

The proprietors of **Gold's Prize Pills** will give an elegant Gold Watch to the first person who can make out the three daughters' faces; to the second will be given a pair of gold-rimmed Spectacles; to the third a Diamond Ring; to the fourth a Gold Bracelet; to the fifth a Gold Chain; to the sixth a Gold Watch; to the seventh a Gold Chain; to the eighth a Gold Watch; to the ninth a Gold Chain; to the tenth a Gold Watch; to the eleventh a Gold Chain; to the twelfth a Gold Watch; to the thirteenth a Gold Chain; to the fourteenth a Gold Watch; to the fifteenth a Gold Chain; to the sixteenth a Gold Watch; to the seventeenth a Gold Chain; to the eighteenth a Gold Watch; to the nineteenth a Gold Chain; to the twentieth a Gold Watch; to the twenty-first a Gold Chain; to the twenty-second a Gold Watch; to the twenty-third a Gold Chain; to the twenty-fourth a Gold Watch; to the twenty-fifth a Gold Chain; to the twenty-sixth a Gold Watch; to the twenty-seventh a Gold Chain; to the twenty-eighth a Gold Watch; 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BRANDON MAIL.

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1892.

CONSISTENCY.

If ever there was a mountebank in Manitoba journalism it is the Winnipeg Tribune. Here is an extract from its Thursday's issue:

"Clifford Sifton, the Attorney General, has as a Christian gentleman and prohibitionist, kept himself unspotted in his political career from the least tainting to the saloon power either in his private or public life. Such an attorney general is an honor to this province, and would do us good had more such men."

Now the drift of respectable journalism is to make a reasonable attempt at least to get at the truth, and then make the best out of that truth for the cause supported. The life effort of the Tribune is, however, to manufacture the most falsehoods it can, borrow others wherever they are to be found, swear the compilation is the truth and put it forward as a live missionary for the discredited Greenway cause. Now if Mr. Sifton was the exemplary man the Tribune desires the people to believe he is it appears to us it would not require so many strained efforts on the part of all his friends to prove it. So far we know Mr. Sifton is personally a strictly temperate man and in private life straight in his personal dealings; but all this does not of itself entitle him to the name his friends desire him to have, if the matter ends here. It is desired to prove a man is pre-eminently exemplary above his surroundings his public acts as well as his private must be above reproach and he must be set in disconcerting everything disreputable that is done in his interest. Now has Mr. Sifton done the latter? Did he in the last North Brandon contest do what he could to prevent the constituency from being literally debauched by money and whiskey? He did not, even his best friends must admit. In short there is enough on the surface to show that he could not have been without a full knowledge of what was being done in his interest, and if had that knowledge winking at the acts was as bad as if he did them himself. We are in a position to prove that he (Sifton) drove around with Pilling canvassing while the latter carried whiskey in his rig to seek the electors and that some of them drank it from Pilling's hand, while Sifton was within a few feet of the spot. We can prove that the night before polling a government official, drawing his salary out of the public purse, visited a voter who had promised to vote for Mr. Cliffe and intended to do so, slept with the voter, soaked him with whiskey and next morning dragged him to the poll a Sifton voter. If Sifton is the honorable, high minded man he is represented to be, he would enquire into these matters, and if true express his condemnation of them. Instead of this, however, what has he done—passed an act relieving candidates from the racialities of their agents—paving the way for a repetition again this contest of what was done a year ago in North Brandon.

THAT DEFICIT.

The rascally conduct of the Greenwayites in dealing with the deficit of the Norway government is simply a disgrace, even to Greenwayism itself, which is saying a great deal. The idea of the spouters and the prints in the government's interest is to convince the public the late government expended more than it foolishly—extravagantly—\$315,000 more than the current revenues amounted to, and they had to make it up out of the proceeds of the bonds. If they could convince the electors of that they could of course take \$315,000 of the country's money and do as they like with it. Our readers will one and all remember that the Man constantly pointed out, during its life, defects in the Norway administration, and all we ever charged against it we still repeat, but that is no reason why that government it should not get justice. If under cover of an alleged deficit the government of to-day did not, and does not, contemplate a huge steal, there is no meaning in its present allegations. Everyone knows it is not the intention of the present opposition if they get into office, to call the late Mr. Norquay from the grave and re-establish him as Premier of the province by his late colleagues. Why then should the mistakes of the late government, intensified many times, be the principal things the Greenwayites have to dangle before the electors? Is it not absolute proof they have no virtues of their own?

But to that deficit. On commencing the construction of R.R.V.R., the late government had not a dollar in hand to work with. They issued bonds it is true, but they had not sold them these bonds were not a dollar of an obligation on the country. To meet payments on the work as it went on from time to time, the government was compelled to take money from the pockets of the electors, and the proceeds of the bonds, and other funds were accordingly appropriated; but there was

an asset to show for it—the R.R.V., so as there was work done on it. On coming into office the Greenwayites sold that road to the N.P.R., people realizing about \$205,000 therefor. This money should have been returned to the accounts whence Norway took money for the expenditures on the road, and whatever shortage there really was would show the deficit of the late government. The dishonesty of the present incumbents in office lies in charging the late government with its drafts and resources for the road and refusing to credit receipts from the R.R.V., when sold. If this balancing were properly done it would leave a deficit of about \$65,000 only, which was the shortage of the late government. We put the matter in this form to give our readers the naked facts.

THE SCHOOL ACT.

The Greenwayites keep on yelling themselves hoarse over the School Act, asking the people to express an opinion on it in the coming elections. There was but one time in which an expression was in order, that was in the last general election, and then Greenway & Co. did not give them an opportunity. If the government wanted an expression of the popular will that was the time to ask for it, but at that time the government themselves had been declaring they were not going to abolish separate schools. An expression from the people now can do nothing, as the matter is out of their hands altogether and relegated to the courts. If the latter say the Act is good it becomes the law of the land no matter what the people think of it. If they say it is bad the people cannot make it good if every man in the province declare in favor of it. It is now the government and not the people that have to deal with the question, and what the people want to know is what they are going to do about it. So far the people have not even a whisper from the government as to what they intend to do if the School Act is declared bad by the Privy Council, and the public are clamoring for information on the question. There are several things they may attempt, but what they will do is the important question. If the decision is adverse the old law of Separate Schools comes into play again, and then for Greenwayism and its exercise. The government cannot again tax Roman Catholics for the support of "National" Schools. As this is the question before the courts, the government may attempt to withhold government grants from Separate Schools, but the Roman Catholics will say you get your subsidies from the Federal Government on the basis of population. If we Roman Catholics were out of the province you would get so much the less money. As then it is because of our residence you get the large subsidy you do, a portion of it is ours by constitutional right, and then the trouble breaks out anew. It is all very well for Greenway & Co. to talk to the fancies of the people, but the public are anxious to know what the government really intend to do if the Act is declared bad by the Privy Council.

The consistency of some people is simply astounding. If a man patronizes a horse race or anything of the kind, in the eyes of the jointly twin editors of the Brandon Sun, he is set down as next to a pagan, but if he bets on an election he is a white-headed boy. The last issue of that print contains two or three columns of exaggerated reports of bets in the city on elections in the surrounding country. To our mind this kind of thing ought to be discarded, as demoralizing in its influence, instead of applauded in column reports in the press. If a man has up a heavy wager he is likely to resort to undue acts to win his money, and in this way encourage infractions of what ought to be a proper election law; but our conferees, we take it, cannot see things that way. It cannot be expected that a print that justifies Mr. Sifton in relieving candidates from the consequences of the most corrupt acts of his agents can have a very thin skin in this matter of betting.

DISTINGUISHED CLERGYMEN.

REV. EDWARD EVERETT HALE was presented by his parishioners, on his seventieth birthday, with a purse of \$100.

REV. ISAAC CLOUGH, who will probably succeed Rev. Mr. Clouthier as Bishop of Niger territory, is a negro clergyman of unimpeachable ability and force.

The story that Dr. Arthur T. Pearson, who has been filling Spurgeon's pulpit, would be called to the London tabernacle as permanent pastor is denied by that gentleman.

REV. E. WALPOLE WARREN, an English clergyman living in New York, has never become an American citizen. "I have refrained," he says, "from taking out papers as a citizen of New York because the city is so wicked and corrupt that I would not wish to be identified with it, even as a voter."

HOME NOVELTIES.

SQUARE Ivory handles are attached to tea and coffee pots of the new silver services.

ONE of the newest salad bowls is in shape like a tin pan, the inside finished in gilt, with raised, holsters, crabs, slugs, etc., in silver, by way of decoration.

The fruit knives of the present are works of art. Blades in long dagger-like shape; the handles, the new American enamel, with cherub and Dresden flower designs.

FLOWER SAVERS in Irish Bellock are beautiful—the roses in pink, pond lilies in white and orchids in shades of violet. Tiny gold salt-pans accompany these beautiful blossoms.

BOTTOM TUCKERS are more graceful in shape than ever before. The fact of having each one a different color gives the table a lovely appearance. All cups for serving bouillon should have covers and handles on either side.

The handles of table knives are now made in china, to match the plates. There are sets of china knife handles for each course. Those for breakfast have handles of the pattern and little daily knives and spoons upon them.

At a reception recently given in Portland, by Mrs. Robert Garrett, a novel feature of the decoration for entertainment was the slight of hand, birds flying about the room open to the guests, among the palms and flowers.

The menu cards of this season are said to be, with a few exceptions, not as beautiful as heretofore. A swarm of golden bees, with the hive and flowers, are the Stanley dinner card, and the palm trees, camels and setting sun, are among the "exceptions," and are very pretty.

SOME LATEST THINGS.

A NOVELTY in book binding is announced in the employment in it of metal as a substitute for cardboard.

The very latest shoe has the tongue elongated to an astonishing extent, but the method in the madness. It gives the ankle a very slender appearance.

PERSES are now being made with little detective cameras in them, probably with a view of taking the thief who takes the pocketbook. However, as there is no provision for pockets in the new gowns, the thieves may be thwarted.

The newest thing in scents consists of perfuming salt roses—roses, carnations, violets, lilies, etc. The salts are the color of the flowers with which they are scented and are put up in handsome bottles.

LOSPON's latest find, the green carnation, is said to be simply "an cross between a common carnation and a purple branch," a practical illustration of the theory, which is financially as profitable as the milk-fed squashes they sometimes raise up in Dakota to starve the tenderfoot.

FOREIGN RAILROAD NOTES.

The great railway to Jerusalem will probably be opened in the spring of next year.

A contract for steel rails has been placed in Belgium in connection with the new Turkish railway to Salonica.

FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND Londoners save five days per annum each by riding on railways, a total saving of 2,500,000 days, worth \$250,000.

GERMANY's railroads have a trackage of 24,843 miles, 5,000 more than exist in Great Britain and Ireland, the early home of the railway.

Austria, out of a total of 9,585 miles of railroad, 4,390 miles are worked by the state; in Hungary of a total of 7,229 miles, 3,953 are state railroads. Austria is about to acquire the lines of another company, which measure 569 miles.

AIN PLOWS, V-shaped, are to be placed before the locomotives of the fast express trains of one of the English railroads. It is expected that greater speed will be obtained by overcoming much of the resistance of the air in front of the train.

MERRY PENCILINGS.

TRUE to the "nature of the beast," many a man who hopes in his time past friends had the wool pulled over them—Philadelphia Times.

"No," he answered, "I don't play lawn tennis. It is what you might call a one-armed sport." "O, well," she answered, quickly and thoughtlessly, "you could say the same about driving."—Washington Star.

"A SINGING SOCIETY.—Jinks.—My wife belongs to a singing society." "Spinks." "So does mine." "Jinks.—What does your wife sing?" "Spinks.—'Gee-dip, meedly.'" "Jinks.—'Guess they must be bound to the same one.'"—Detroit Free Press.

DUBLEY VANDERCLAM—"With Bond-clipper, I really believe it is the mission of women to make fools of men." Miss Bondclipper—"Yes, and you have no idea, Mr. Vanderclam, how vexed we are to find that nature has so often forestalled us."—Old Home-stead.

WELL TO KNOW.

The first mention of writing is found in Exodus 1:1.

The average life of a tradesman is about two-thirds that of a farmer.

It costs New York city more than \$100,000 a year for stenographic services.

A MAN obtains his maximum height at forty years of age, a woman at fifty years.

The fastest ship agent is the City of Peking, owned by the Pacific Mail Company. She cost \$1,000,000.

A wax candle in a wax candle in the twelfth century, and was candles were estimated at thirty in 1200, being but little used.

The average age of the population is thirty-five, and half the population are service, nine and five-eighths years, average height, five feet ten and two-thirds inches.

Enthusiastic Collectors Who Pay Fabulous Sums for Them.

Worthless Looking Bits of Paper That Are Worth a Mint of Money—The Most Valuable Stamp in Existence.

A well-known stamp dealer tells a New York Tribune representative: "If you wish to know how widespread this engaging pursuit has become you have only to consider the fact that there is at least three hundred thousand dollars of incorporated capital engaged in the business in this country alone; about one hundred and fifty publications devoted to it, and several hundred thousand people engaged in it. Germany has not so many publications or so many collectors as America, but the subject is approached even more seriously there than here. Their papers are more historical and exhaustive than ours. Great Britain numbers her collectors by the hundreds of thousands, and France is not far behind."

Others no longer outnumber the others, but clergymen, lawyers, doctors, business men and women engage in it heartily. One of the most earnest collectors in this city is a clergyman, who when he attends an auction sale of stamps, gets genuinely excited over the bargain. I expect to see him at a sale of stamps at our next auction of the St. Elizabeth's conservatory. No. 41 West Tenth street. This market for stamps is so lively just now that several dealers are holding auction sales of their accumulated stock."

The prices paid by collectors for stamps are of course regulated by the scarcity of the stamp, not by its age, size, beauty or appearance. Probably the highest priced stamp in existence is the common-looking one penny of Mauritius, issued in 1817. A single one of these is valued at one thousand dollars, because there are only six or eight of them known to be in existence. There is probably no genuine one in this country, but as the field for forgery is wide there are a good many cheap ones in existence. In order to establish the value of the genuine Mauritius, a stamp must be found. Each of these six or eight recognized Mauritius stamps has a tabulated record of different owners who have possessed it, corresponding to the pedigree of a blooded horse.

One thousand dollars is a good deal of money to pay for a little bit of paper, and many people cannot be convinced that the stamp would be worth anything like that figure. There are wealthy collectors of stamps, however, just as there are wealthy men who pay enormous prices for gems. A diamond as big as a walnut has little more intrinsic value than a number of smaller ones; yet its rarity puts an enormous price on it, and so with stamps. The British museum is not likely to place an enormous value on these things; yet not long ago Mr. Topley, an English member of parliament, left his collection of stamps to the museum, and the government expended an inheritance tax of four thousand pounds sterling on the collection, reducing this to be four per cent of its value. This is considered to be the second best collection in the world. The possessor of the best collection is generally conceded to be M. Perrot of Paris.

Something new in postal cards has just been issued by the country of Salvador, in Central America, in honor of the centenary of the discovery of America. It is a pictorial and a geographical one. On the side where the address is to be written appears a map showing the route of Columbus from Spain to Salvador. Adjacent islands and parts of continents are also shown, and the whole is printed in light blue and brown. The stamp, too, bears a scene in the career of the great discoverer. As this Columbian series will be limited to this year, they no doubt will be extremely valuable about the time of the five hundredth anniversary of Columbus landing. Farsighted people might get them cheap now and leave them to their children.

Another remarkable postage stamp is the tiger head of Afghanistan, and other more rare, the face of Mohd. Khan, issued in 1874. One of these sold not long ago for forty-nine pounds. Many people in this land are not aware that some stamps of their own country have become pretty valuable already, especially those issued before the war. These were all called in shortly after the war broke out, so that the large quantity of them held in southern states should do the country no good. Some of these have been sold for sixty-five and even seventy-five dollars in this city. Many people do not know, either, that Uncle Sam issues stamps as great in value as sixty dollars. That is the highest. These big denominations are used for mailing newspapers and printed matter in bulk. They are not delivered to the purchaser, but when paid for are sent on by the postal clerk himself, so that the general public seldom sees them. They are pretty stamps, almost as big as the little recent "shipplaster" which used to be in circulation, and are printed in lively colors. The sixty-dollar one is purple and white, and has a well-engraved figure of an Indian.

The London aldermen have decreed that henceforth the wages and fees of the city clerk shall be paid for by those who employ them.

Saturday is said to be the great day for confabulations in London, and the fire department is called out more frequently in August and December than in any other months.

Delays are dangerous.

If you want to get into trouble with your bank, when you are precious in harvest, buy the special brand of twice made for the Messrs. Harris Co., and which are sold by all their agents at lower prices than in any former years.

Mortgage Sale Of Valuable City Property.

Under and virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction by W. H. Hooper, auctioneer, at his auction rooms on Rosser Avenue, in the City of Brandon on Saturday, the 23rd day of July, A.D., 1892, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely: All and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate lying and being in the City of Brandon and being composed of lots 28, 29, 30 and 31 in block 43 in said City of Brandon, according as said lots and block are laid down and marked out on a map or plan of a subdivision of section twenty three (23) in township ten (10), and range nineteen (19) west of the Principal Meridian in the province of Manitoba, said map or plan being made by J. W. Vaughan, D.L.S., and is now of record in the Land Titles Office Brandon as plan No. two (2). Upon this property is a large warehouse with offices. The lots are 100 feet fronting on 12th street and are situated on 10th street next to the Electric Light Station.

Terms of Sale: Twenty per cent at the time of sale and balance within 30 days. For further particulars apply to DAILY & COLDWELL, Vendors Solicitors, Brandon, Minn. Dated this 28th day of June, A.D. 1892.

FOR SALE.

Two good farms and crops. One of 40 acres, 1/2 mile, 8/20, high and rolling, divided into four lots. One lot is a 20-acre grain elevator, 2 acres in wheat crop, and can be sold in one parcel or large farm. It is well supplied with over 20 shade trees and ornamental trees. This is a desirable farm and has now in crop 10 acres of wheat. For particulars apply to W. F. HAWES, P.O. Box 7, Brandon, July 14th 1892.

NOTICE.

A GOOD Tailoring business for sale, with a strictly cash trade of over four years' experience. On account of ill health the proprietor would like to sell. Apply to JOS. KEE, Pilot Mount. May 19, 1892, 2-4.

TO RENT.

A NEATLY furnished front room, suitable for either two gentlemen. Apply to A.B. "Man's Office." June 9.

MUSICAL TUITION.

Mrs. R. Davidson has vacancies for private pupils in Music, Piano and Organ, teaching also singing and cultivation of the voice. Residence, the Edgar Terrace, Cor. 6th and Larue Avenues.

FOR SALE.

First-class literary and feed business in the progressive town of Souris. Nine horses single and double harness rigs, complete outfit harness, robes, etc., nearly new. Also two binding looms, included or separate. Satisfaction guaranteed. Favorable terms. Splendid chance for the right man. Apply to Albert L. Crisp, Real Estate Agent, Souris, Manitoba.

NOTICE.

I hereby caution the public against negotiating a note drawn by me in favor of John Furr, payable at the Imperial Bank, Brandon, for the sum of \$50.00.

SAMUEL J. WILSON.

WANTED.

Wanted a smart boy to learn the barber business and make himself useful in tobacco and stationery store. Good home, address for particulars to Wm. Baron, Barber, Osborn, N. W. T.

AGENTS WANTED.

NOTICE of the life of Charles Madison Spurgeon, who was a man of great ability, an author, pastor, journalist and world-renowned platform orator, died Russell H. Conwell, D.D., the author of "The World's Great Men," Philadelphia: known as the Spurgeon of America. Contains the Spurgeon of England by the Spurgeon of America. The book contains over 500 pages. Price, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00. Orders for agencies and territory must be addressed to W. H. Hooper, General Agent, Brandon.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

The next meeting of the Brandon City E. D. Farmers' Institute will be held in the City Hall, Brandon, Saturday, March 19th, subject: "The Work of the Farmers' Institute and results we should effect." Speaker: Wm. Thompson, of the Farmers' Advocate.

STRAYED.

Two horses, 1 sorrel mare with two white hind feet, and one bay horse, with white on them, from Neill's, on Saturday night last. Last seen at west end of Brandon Hills on Sunday morning.

DAVID BLACK, Neill's.

BAKER WANTED.

THIS Undesigned is seeking a bakery in Manitoba and requires the services of a first-class baker. Good wages to a competent man. Apply to ALEX. MILLER, Manitoba P.O.

ART STUDIO.

MISS SPENCER HAS OPENED A STUDIO over Dickson's & Murray's store, and is painting in oil, water colors, and in gouache. Also in crayon. Instruction, special attention to all orders. Portrait, \$10.00. Open to view every Wednesday and Saturday after 2.

TO RENT.

A WELL furnished front room, with or without board. Inquire at Mart's office.

WANTED.

A good general servant, apply to Mrs. W. H. Hooper, Rosser Avenue and 13th Street.

FOR SALE.

A YOUNG cow, 3 years old, or trade for a better one. Apply to similar & Co.

PAISLEY & MORTON'S

Compliments to the Ladies of Brandon and vicinity.

We invite an inspection of our Spring Stock. Calling particular attention to the following:

Stanley and Cravenette Suitings in various shades and styles. These are worthy of special attention.

Our Dress Goods in Llama, Henrietta and Crepe Cloths, Cashmere, Nun's Veilings with trimmings, suit.

All admit that our Satens and French Prints have never been surpassed for choice patterns and colors.

As for our assortment of Flannels, of all sizes and colors are well worth seeing before buying your supply.

Our stock of Hosiery, Socks, Undershirts and Fancy Hosiery, etc., are all well worth seeing.

To the Gentlemen! COME and be convinced by facts, that we have just the Clothing to suit you in various styles, at prices to suit the times.

In Gents' Furnishing we have a full range of White Shirts, Colored Shirts, Flannellet and Fancy Flannel Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, Socks of all grades, Suspenders, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, for all who require them.

Our show of Felt Hats, in hard and soft makes of all colors, Cloth Caps, etc., is now complete.

Give us a call and be assured that we do the right thing every time.

PAISLEY & MORTON THE Red Front Meat Emporium.

On the Corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue, is the place to buy your

Christmas Supplies

Of Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens, and Choice cuts of CHRISTMAS Beef, Lamb, Pork and Venison.

ALSO Rabbits, Fish, Cured Hams, Bacon, Sausage, Bologna, Lard, Etc.

EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS QUALITY. ORDERS PROMPTLY EXECUTED.

G. H. MOTT & Co. ARTIFICIAL LIMBS.

RUPTURES AND DEFORMITIES. CATHETERS & CO. IN CHARGE. TORONTO.

We are the leading firm in line in Canada. Our Mr. Anderson, has the honor of calling on the Grand View Hotel, Brandon, on Tuesday August 10th, till Thursday August 12th. Persons requiring artificial limbs or other appliances, will be treated with our best and most comfortable and efficient machinery.

THE GREAT FEMALE MEDICINE.

The functional irregularities peculiar to the weaker sex, are invariably corrected without pain or inconvenience, by the use of Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills. They are the safest and surest medicine for all diseases incidental to females of all ages, and the more especially so in this climate. Ladies who wish to enjoy health, should always have these Pills. No one who ever uses them once will allow herself to be without them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are sold by all Medicine Dealers.

Special Sale

BOOTS & SHOES.

Having purchased a portion of the stock manufactured by the well-known firm of Archibald & Turner, Montreal, who have given up the Manufacturing Business, we are now ready to give red hot bargains in

Men's & Ladies' Footwear especially.

Come now and secure such bargains as you can only get once in a lifetime.

Brandon Boot Company,

PER. JOHN MORRIS.

Signs!

PAINTING
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DECORATING
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DESIGNING.
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And all branches of the Trade executed. Good Workmen. Prices Reasonable.

Sharp & Tomlin,

ROSSER AVE., BETWEEN 6TH & 7TH STREETS.
P. O. Box 345.

FARMERS!

Improve and save your buildings by using "Sharp's Maple Leaf" Brand of Ready Mixed Paints. "This Paint cannot be beaten for Purity."

HOUSE-KEEPERS!

Don't kill yourselves washing and scrubbing your wood work, but get "Sharp's Maple Leaf" Brand of Ready Mixed Paints. "Best in the World for this purpose."

JOBBERS!

Save your time and make money by using "Sharp's Maple Leaf" Brand of Ready Mixed paints. "Great covering Qualities."

N.B. Anybody buying our Paints can have all the information they want.

We also carry a fine stock of Brushes at prices to suit everybody. The Famous "Home Wall Colors" for Kalsomining, in all shades. Also Oils, Turps, Varnishes, Dry Colors, in fact everything in the Trade.

Artists and Students.

We carry a well selected stock of Artists' materials. This branch we carry not only because there is money in it, but that we know what you want and for Art's sake. Anything we should not have we will get you. In this line we have a patent Stretcher that will commend itself at once. "Call and see it." The Fulton Engraving Japanese Box, the handiest thing in the world for Artists.

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BY THE Undersigned some days since, containing a promissory note, made by John Kirkpatrick. A reward will be given for recovery. Payment of the note has been stopped.

J. M. LAECHE.

PROGRESS.

It is very important in this age of vast material progress that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taken, acceptable to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle diuretic known.

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It is easy enough to talk of guaranteeing satisfaction, but another thing to give it. We have been in the ordered clothing business for three years, and the steady growth of our "Self Measurement" department proves that our system is a correct and as sure as is possible to have it.

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These are the contents of letters received daily, and it means a saving of from \$5 to \$10 on every suit you buy from us in this way. The tailors of Manitoba and the Northwest cannot afford to make you clothes for less than they do, but we can afford to make them at our own regular price which is a saving to you of about 50 per cent. Write for samples and self-measurement slip. All goods sent express prepaid to any station on the C. P. R. east of Regina. Address

Hamilton Clothing Manufactory,
HAMILTON, ONT.

Summer Fair

Brandon Agricultural Society.

WILL BE HELD ON

July 19 & 20,

Tickets can be obtained, entries made and all information required, on application to

THOS. HARKNESS, Sec'y.

CLYDE STABLES, 9TH ST.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Land and Registration Office, Edmonton, N. W. T." will be received at this office until Wednesday, 27th July, 1892 for the several works required in the erection of Land and Registration Office, Edmonton, N. W. T.

Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of Land Agent at Edmonton, and at the office of the Surveyor, Court House, Calgary, on and after Saturday, 2nd July, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 5 per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
E. E. ROY,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 27th June, 1892.

NOTICE.

A FRIEND OF A HORSE!

Gentlemen, as I have opened a horseshoeing shop in Mr. McNabb's old stand between 5th & 6th Streets, Princess Avenue, where of old patronage would be thankfully received, as I claim to stand second to none in shoeing for interfering, forcing or any other kind of fault, produced by bad shoeing.

The most prompt attention paid to customers.

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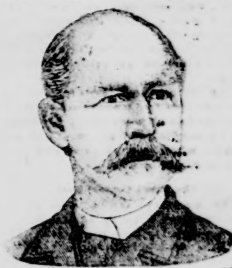
FOR SALE.

Five Imported Clydesdale Stallions, Dipped from Scotland.

The undersigned offers for sale at T. Harkness' stable on 5th street, Brandon, the following to be picked, July 5.

"Clan Mackay" (\$525)
"Clan Buchanan" (\$525)
"Clan Menzies" (\$530)
"Pressgang" (\$113)
"Ellerslie Chief" (vol xv)

Stewart Robertson.



W. L. DOUGLAS,
\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00

SHOES.

Women's \$1.75 Kid Oxford and \$3.00 Boots.

SOLID COMFORTS

Just opened at

ZINK BROS.

Brandon, Manitoba.

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Has just put into stock another lot of Men's Suits, Odd Coats, Flannel Coats and Vests. The price I ask for them is simply paralyzing. Having purchased the lot 20 per cent. less than wholesale price, we can still offer to the public the cheapest clothing in Brandon. Gents, you can get a suit at your own price, we start our Men's Suits at \$3.50, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, & \$10.00.

A Very Choice Suit For Ten Dollars.

Flannel and all light Shirts at popular prices, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00.

Remember we are still clearing out our Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, regardless of profit.

Gents, if you want a nice nobby boot at half price go to S. H. Bower.

Come Along and see our Gent's Furnishings

Gent's Ties in all the latest novelties. Gent's Shirts in every style. By the best makers at rock bottom prices. Gent's Sox in Cotton, Merino, Lisle Thread, Natural Wool, Dongola Wool, Cashmere, at lowest possible prices. We are offering special inducements on all lines of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes and Groceries, this month.

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